# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

# **FISCAL NOTE**



HB 626 - SB 1174

February 10, 2013

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Defines volunteer firefighter, for those required to offer medical insurance coverage as it relates to the authority to write insurance for workers' compensation, as any member or personnel of a fire department or volunteer fire department, including, but not limited to, a junior member, a board member, or an auxiliary member of the fire department.

### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### **NOT SIGNIFICANT**

## Assumptions:

- Tenn. Code Ann. § 50-6-401 currently requires certain entities offering workers' compensation insurance to offer medical benefits coverage for paid-on-call and volunteer firefighters.
- Adding clarifying language to define "volunteer firefighter" will not result in a significant fiscal impact on state or local government.

## **CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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